

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

1. Please amend the paragraph which appears at page 1, lines 18-27 of the specification, as follows:

This organic EL element 10 has a light emitting layer 14 sandwiched between a pair of electrodes, an anode 12 and a cathode 13. The light emitting layer 14 is usually composed of plural laminated layers. When an electric field is applied across the electrodes 12 and 13 in this element 10, electrons are injected from the cathode 13 and holes are injected from the anode 12. The electrons and the holes are recombined in the light emitting layer 14 so as to cause an ~~exciting~~ excited state. When the ~~exciting~~ excited state returns to a ground state, energy is emitted as light.

2. Please amend the paragraph which appears at page 2, lines 9-14 of the specification, as follows:

There is known a technique of adding a very small amount of a fluorescent molecule (dopant) to a light emitting layer in order to satisfy the above-mentioned desire. As the fluorescent molecule, a ~~coumalin~~ coumarin, cyanine, perylene or pyran derivative is disclosed (see, for example, Japanese Patent Application Laid-Open No. 63-264692).

3. Please amend the paragraph which appears at page 44, lines 4-8 of the specification, as follows:

A ~~grass~~ glass substrate of 25 mm by 75 mm by 1.1 mm with an ITO transparence electrode (GEOMATEC CO., LTD.) was subjected to ultrasonic cleaning with isopropyl alcohol for 5 minutes, and cleaned with ultraviolet rays and ozone for 30 minutes.

4. Please amend Table 3 which appears at pages 49-50 of the specification, as follows:

Table 3

	Type	Driving voltage (V) @100 nit	Light emitting efficiency (cd· A) @100 nit	Half life (h) @1000 nit	Color of emitted light
Exam. 1	①	5.0	12.3	15000	blue
Com. Exam. 1		5.1	12.1	7000	blue
Com. Exam. 2		5.5	6.0	6000	pure blue
Com. Exam. 3		5.2	12.0	7000	blue
Exam. 2	②	4.9	12.2	8000	blue
Com. Exam. 4		5.6	4.4	800	pure blue
Com. Exam. 5		5.1	8.3	3000	blue
Exam. 3	②	5.4	6.3	3000	pure blue
Com. Exam. 4		5.6	4.4	800	pure blue
Com. Exam. 6		5.6	4.7	700	pure blue
Exam. 4	①	5.5	11.2	20000	yellow yellow
Com. Exam. 2		5.5	6.0	6000	pure blue
Com. Exam. 7		5.4	9.3	12000	yellow yellow
Exam. 5	①	4.6	9.8	3700	blue

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Com. Exam. 8		4.7	9.4	2800	blue
Com. Exam. 9		5.2	5.0	500	pure blue
Exam. 6	①	7.2	7.1	8000	orange
Com. Exam. 10		8.0	6.4	3000	orange
Com. Exam. 11		7.7	6.2	5000	orange